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History and Personality.

Very pleasant and co-operative young Naval Officer. Lived 12 years in England and speaks perfect English. Is obviously genuinely pro-English and says he has many friends in the crypto business who feel the same way. An enthusiast for the job and bursting to tell us of his success. Considers it a waste of time to talk to the heads of Depts. about technical details and gave us a list of the people who really did the work on the various Naval and Army ciphers about which he knew. Has been with OKW Chi/Abt since 1942 and also served as Naval Liaison Officer to the Army on crypto matters. He came on this mission by chance to act as an interpreter.

List of names suggested by Lt. Morgenroth as of special value to us for detailed information

<u>Name</u>	<u>Code or Cypher</u>	<u>Last known Location</u>
<u>NAVAL</u>		
1st. Lt. RIEMER	LOXO/COFOX	MÜRNIK (Nachr. Schule Block HANSA)
Funkmeister ROLFS ) Fähnrich VOLTMER ) Lt. Morgenroth	MEDOX/FOXO  MERSIGS	DO  SHAEF
1st. Lt. GASSERT	Combined Assault Codes (agog, amid, agua)	MPHS Neumunster
2nd. Lt. LÖCHERBACH	Fleet Code	do
2nd Lt. ROSE	Stencil subtractor system	? ?
<u>ARMY</u>		
Wachmeister DÖRING ) do VALENTINE ) Uffz. SIEGLOV ) BAURATSCHULZE	M. 209  SLIDEX	with O.B. WEST (probably captured)  Bad REICHENHALL
<u>RUSSIAN ARMY</u>		
1st. Lt. SCHUBERT	Russian & Polish Army Codes & ciphers	?
Wachtmeister FUOHS	do	Bad Reichenhall
<u>NAVY</u>		
Sonderführer (1t) HACKER	Russian Naval ciphers	MÜRNIK (Nachr. Schule Block HANSA 4 SKL III)
<u>GERMAN NAVAL</u>		
2nd. Lt. FROWEIN	Analysis of German Naval recoding machine	do



NOTES

(a) Of the above the following could be found immediately:-

1st. Lt. Riemer	)	
Funkmeister ROLFS	)	at MÜRVIK
Sonderführer (Lt) HACKER	)	
2nd Lt. FROWEIN	)	

(b) M.209 was exploited at JUTERBOG till end of Jan. 45, subsequently at H.Q. Ob WEST.

(c) Germans were never able to get anything out of Japs and so far as M. knows never gave them anything. A crypto mission to Japan was being got together when the collapse came and M. was to have been one of the members.

/JHF  
18 May 45.

Above received from Lieutenant Colonel Jack BROWN. 19/5/45